

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 2062

Introduced by Assembly Member Galgiani

February 18, 2010

An act to amend Section 290.022 of the Penal Code, relating to violent crime.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2062, as introduced, Galgiani. Violent Crime Information Network.

Existing law requires the Attorney General to establish and maintain the Violent Crime Information Network (VCIN) to enable crime analysts with expertise in child abuse, missing persons, child abductions, and sexual assaults to electronically share their data, analysis, and findings with each other, and to assist law enforcement in apprehending violent offenders. Existing law further requires the Department of Justice to renovate the VCIN, on or before July 1, 2010, to correct specified deficiencies, improve system performance, and meet other goals.

This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 290.022 of the Penal Code is amended
- 2 to read:
- 3 290.022. On or before July 1, 2010, the Department of Justice
- 4 shall renovate the ~~VCIN~~ *Violent Crime Information Network* to
- 5 do *all of* the following:

- 1 ~~(1)~~
2 (a) Correct all software deficiencies affecting data integrity and
3 include designated data fields for all mandated sex offender data.
4 ~~(2)~~
5 (b) Consolidate and simplify program logic, thereby increasing
6 system performance and reducing system maintenance costs.
7 ~~(3)~~
8 (c) Provide all necessary data storage, processing, and search
9 capabilities.
10 ~~(4)~~
11 (d) Provide law enforcement agencies with full Internet access
12 to all sex offender data and photos.
13 ~~(5)~~
14 (e) Incorporate a flexible design structure to readily meet future
15 demands for enhanced system functionality, including public
16 Internet access to sex offender information pursuant to Section
17 290.46.

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